

Cadence vs. Avant!

- **Send email to niraj@eecs.berkeley.edu and keutzer@eecs.berkeley.edu by 8AM Wednesday (11/5)**
- **Subject line on the email should be: 290T Homework #10**
- **Simply include answers as plain text in email, make sure your name is in the email**
- **Please use bullets and phrases, but be prepared to articulate and defend your answer well**
 1. **Put yourself in Joe Costello's position. How could you have better protected your company's intellectual property? How should you proceed with the current situation?**
 2. **Put yourself in Gerald Hsu's position. How could you have better developed the requisite intellectual property while protecting Avant! from legal problems? How should you respond to the latest Cadence lawsuit?**
 3. **Put yourself in the position of a venture capitalist Avant! Board member. What are your responsibilities relating to intellectual property development? What should you do now?**
 4. **What was the final resolution of the law suit?**